

AN ORDINANCE **101725**

**APPROVING AMENDMENTS TO CHAPTER 34 OF
THE CITY CODE TO MODIFY THE SAN ANTONIO
WATER SYSTEM'S INDUSTRIAL WASTEWATER
PRETREATMENT PROGRAM.**

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WHEREAS, the Industrial Waste Water Pretreatment Program (Pretreatment Program) is mandated by state and federal agencies to protect the integrity of publicly owned treatment works (POTWs), commonly known as the public sanitary sewer collection and treatment systems that collect, process, and discharge waste water, which systems are managed by the San Antonio Water System (SAWS); and

WHEREAS, the Program's parameters (regulated constituents) must be periodically updated to ensure that commercial and industrial wastes do not introduce excessive concentrations of pollutants, corrosives, and toxins into the sanitary sewer system; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of San Antonio acted to effect a periodic amendment to the San Antonio Water System's Pretreatment Program on July 22, 2004, through Ordinance No. 99480; and

WHEREAS, the SAWS has received Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) consent to omit and remove from regulation a certain constituent, Molybdenum, which removal from regulation is the sole and single substantive amendment to the existing provisions of Chapter 34, City of San Antonio Code of Ordinances, pertaining to the Pretreatment Program, adjusting what is commonly known as *Technically Based Local Limits*; **NOW, THEREFORE**;

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City Code of the City of San Antonio, Chapter 34, WATER AND SEWERS, Article V, Division 3, INDUSTRIAL WASTE, § 34-472, Regulations, (4) *Technically based local limits* at (b) Industrial User Local Limits, is hereby amended by adding underlined language [none] and omitting ~~stricken~~ language, as exactly set forth in EXHIBIT I, attached and fully incorporated herein verbatim for all purposes, and consisting of five (5) pages.

SECTION 2. Concerning publication, the City Clerk of the City of San Antonio takes instruction from the Charter of the City of San Antonio, Article II, Section 17, which directs newspaper publication only where an ordinance imposes any penalty, fine or forfeiture for a violation of its provisions. In this regard, the instant ordinance removes a constituent from regulation, relieving a generator from potential penalty, fine and forfeiture, thereby creating no obligation for publication, except inclusion in the City's official Code of Ordinances.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect November 27, 2005.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 17th day of November, 2005.

ATTEST:

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CITY CLERK

Phil Hardberger
MAYOR

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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